

Library Spotlight



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Euless City Election

Early voting and election day voting in the library meeting room.

Early voting
8/25—9/7
Election Day
9/11



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The Smartest Card—
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A Euless Public Library Card in your wallet provides access to the world of knowledge and entertainment.

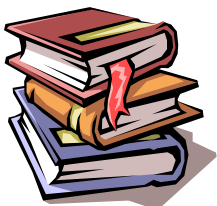
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Go to <http://eulesspro.ci.euless.tx.us/polaris>, click on Patron Account, then on the link to register.

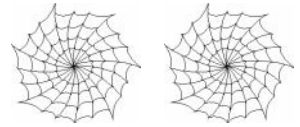




Don't forget to register to vote. Last day to register for the November election is October 4th. Find voter registration cards at the Reference Desk.



Weaving through the web



Getting worked up trying to find reliable resources on the Internet? Let us help you. We know some of the best sites on the web and each month we'll share them with you.

Almanacs and Dictionaries

[Fact Monster](#)

A version of the *Information Please Almanac* just for children. Includes an on-line dictionary, encyclopedia, homework center, "today in history," and word of the day.

<http://www.factmonster.com/>

[Infoplease.com](#)

This site includes a biography database, a dictionary, an atlas, and articles from the *Columbia Encyclopedia*. There are feature stories each week covering topics in the news.

<http://www.infoplease.com/>

[American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language](#)

This site has over 90,000 entries, 70,000 audio word pronunciations, 900 full-page color illustrations, language notes and word-root appendixes.

<http://www.bartleby.com/61/>

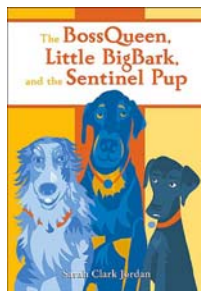
[LOGOS Dictionary](#)

Multilingual dictionary with entries in over 150 languages. Searches on words and common phrases. Click on the loudspeaker icon (audio file) to hear the pronunciation.

<http://www.logos.it/dictionary/owa/sp?lg=EN>

Let's Talk About Books

Join us as the **Let's Talk About Books** discussion group resumes after its summer hiatus. **Sarah Clark Jordan** will be our speaker on September 7 at 1:30 p.m. Her first children's book, ***The BossQueen, Little BigBark, and the Sentinel Pup*** from Bicycle Press, a subdivision of Ten Speed Press, is her topic.



**September 7, 2004
1:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.
Library Meeting Room**

Youth Services

Storytimes

All storytimes are free to the public and no registration is required. Daycare and homeschool groups need to call ahead to make arrangements.



Toddler Time

11:00 AM Tuesdays
11:00 AM Wednesdays

Toddlers listen to exciting stories, learn fun and educational rhymes, make crafts and meet new friends. Caregivers must attend with the children in toddler storytime. Toddler storytimes last approximately 15 minutes.

Family Storytime

7:00 PM Monday

Bring the whole family to hear great stories. Appropriate for all ages, fun for everyone and a family-friendly alternative to prime-time television. Kids are welcome to wear their pajamas and bring pillows and blankets.

Preschool Time

2:30 PM Tuesdays
11:00 AM Wednesdays

Preschoolers are invited to hear fun stories, participate in activities, make crafts and meet new friends. Storytimes last approximately 30 minutes. Parents are not required to attend, but must stay in the library during the program and be present in the children's department when the program ends.



Storytime Etiquette

- Arrive on time - young listeners are easily distracted by people walking into the room during a story.
- Don't bring snacks or noisy toys to storytime.
- Adults, please turn off your cell phones and refrain from talking to each other during storytime.
- If your children become fussy or disruptive during storytime, please take them out of the storytime until they are calmed down and ready to listen again.

Come to
the
library's
storytimes
and make
new
friends!

EULESS PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Euless, Texas
76039

Hours

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TUE 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
WED 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
THU 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
FRI 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
SAT 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
SUN 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Helpful Numbers

Circulation Services

Renew books, check
accounts
817-685-1481

Adult Services

Personalized reference
assistance
817-685-1489

Youth Services

Youth programming and
materials
817-685-1493

Administration

Rent the library's meeting
rooms, find general library
information, volunteer
817-685-1679

Information You Can Use



Account Information Online

Access your account from home—anytime! All you need is our website (bottom of page) and your card number and password. Go to our online catalog and the link at the top of the page marked **Patron Account**. Type in your card number and password. Check on what you have checked out and on hold, and if you have any fines. Don't have a password? Stop at the check-out desk and we will be happy to help you.

Spotlight on Euless Public Library's Virtual Library

We offer many databases that you can access from the library or from home. From home, go to our library page (<http://www.euless.org/dept/library/library.htm>), click on Online Catalog and then E-Sources (the tab above the search screen). Click on the database, and enter your library card number.



- **Texas State Electronic Library**—research information in all subject areas. Find articles, medical information, business resources, homework help and more.
- **Learning Express Library**—online practice tests and tutorials.
- **Chilton's Automotive Repair Reference Center**—repair manuals cover most makes and models dating back to 1954.
- **RefUSA**—information on more than 12 million U.S. businesses.



The Answer Zone provides **real-time, online reference** services. Librarians can help you find answers to your questions and assist you in using online resources. This service is available daily from 6 a.m. to midnight.

The Service Core of Retired Executives

The Service Core of Retired Executives (SCORE) offers free, 45-minute counseling sessions for current and potential small business owners at the Euless Public Library every second and fourth Tuesday from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Call 817 685-1489 to schedule an appointment or to get more information.



Support Our Troops

We are collecting items for our armed services in Afghanistan. If you would like to donate, the collection boxes are just inside the front entrance. The following items are an example of what is needed: books, magazines, bar soap, lip balm, eye drops, baby wipes, tissues, stationary and pens.

<http://www.euless.org/dept/library/library.htm>